

THE NEWS-TIMES MISHAWAKA CIRCULATION 1,781.

NEWS OF MISHAWAKA

PHONES: HOME 118; BELL 10.

WRITES OBITUARY EXPECTING DEATH

William Morgan's Death is Deep Mystery for Police—Accidental Death Verdict of Coroner.

William B. Morgan, the man who was found dead along the E. & W. right of way, left an account of his life to be used as an obituary notice, it developed Sunday. Some time ago the man and his wife were talking of the matter of writing an account of their lives and Mr. Morgan wrote out an interesting story of his career.

According to the story Mr. Morgan was born May 7, 1836, at Camden, Preble county, Ohio. He came to this city when quite young, shortly after the death of his parents. At the outbreak of the war of 1861 he went to Missouri where he enlisted in the army for three years. He served in all of the big battles in Missouri and Arkansas during these three years. After the war he went to Decatur, Ill., where he enlisted on the last call and went out as second lieutenant in Co. K, 162. After eight days' service he was promoted to first A. A. L. C. on the staff of Gen. Dudley. He then came to St. Joseph county in 1872.

The deceased married Anna B. Weiss on Nov. 4, 1884. He has resided here more of the time since then.

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MARIE BOLES HOSTESS AT PLEASANT LUNCHEON

Miss Marie Boles very pleasantly entertained at a luncheon at the Mishawaka Saturday afternoon. The table was set for 15 in the grill room of the hotel. The luncheon complimented the guests with a box. There is no lock on the box, however, and someone is said to have taken the mail shortly after the mailman left.

The postmaster was out of town Sunday and could not be learned whether or not the matter had been reported to the local postal authorities.

FARMER SAYS MAIL IS BEING STOLEN

A farmer residing on one of the rural routes south of the city complained Sunday morning while in the city that someone was taking the mail from the box at his farm. He claimed to have positive knowledge that letters had been sent him and seemed to know that the letters were placed in the box. There is no lock on the box, however, and someone is said to have taken the mail shortly after the mailman left.

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RETURNS TO WORK.

Miss Enid Lawson has resumed her duties at the Bell telephone exchange, her injured arm having entirely healed.

VISITS PRISON CITY.

Joseph Krushanski was in Michigan City Sunday, where he visited friends.

RETURNS FROM OUTING.

Gerald Lampkins has returned from a week-end outing spent at Klinger lake.

ENJOYING VACATION.

John M. Raab, deputy county clerk, is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties at the court house.

MOTOR TO NILES.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Konzen, 1117 W. Second st., motored to Niles Sunday.

CUTS GASH IN FOOT.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williamson of Grove and Clarence streets, cut a severe gash in her foot while wading in the street after the rain Sunday. Dr. Cudady was called and gave the necessary medical attention.

TO RESIDE IN MONTANA.

Miss Iva Ostrander will leave Monday for Chicago from where she will go to Butte, Mont., where she will reside during the winter with her sister, Mrs. Edward Uhlendorf.

VISIT AT LAKE.

John Becker and the son of William Gehl are at Pleasant lake for a short outing.

TO ARRIVE SOON.

City, Atty. Isaac Kane Parks will arrive in a few days from a trip to Ottawa, Kan. He is at present in Cincinnati where he is attending a convention of the Loyal Order of Moose in the capacity of delegate.

RETURN TO CHICAGO.

Thomas Porter and Earl Rosewarne have returned to Chicago after spending Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Swayne of E. Fourth st.

PARENTS OF TWINS.

Twins sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. Dull of E. Fourth st. Sunday morning.

BABY IS DROWNED.

Allegan, Mich.—The eighteen-month-old daughter of Frank Maik was drowned in a tub of water at the home of this city in reaching for a floating berry box the child lost its balance.

COUNCIL PROBE NOT IN EARNEST

Personally I do not care what party or combination of parties is or may come to be in municipal control. I do not care who is mayor or chief of police. I am not a candidate nor have I any candidate to promote—but I am mightily interested in having a city administration in Mishawaka that will enforce the laws without fear or favor, that does not wait for orders from brewers, manufacturers, bankers, business men's associations, laborers or churches—but will adopt a constructive policy of city betterment, enforce the liquor, gambling and other statutes, scold graft and bribery and give to this city a reputation which will commend it to capital seeking investment, to labor seeking employment, to families seeking homes and to anyone seeking a clean, cultured, law-abiding city in which to live and rear and educate a family.

Thus spoke Dr. Loren M. Edwards, pastor of the First Methodist church, Sunday morning, stating his attitude in regard to the alleged liquor law evasion, the discussion of which is stirring the city.

Dr. Edwards has been conducting investigations of saloon conditions for some time and it was he who stirred up the agitation which resulted in the councilmanic investigation held in the city hall last week.

To discuss the matter Sunday, the minister used as the subject of his address, "The Pilot Flame." This is the title of a book which the minister was reading when the investigation started and the title and contents seemed apropos to the present movement. The pilot flame is the small flame in a gas heater or gas are light, the story shows how small things, pilot flames, may set great things moving. The theme of the sermon applied to civic conditions, was that the investigations of the minister and the councilmanic investigation held in the city hall last week.

Criticism Councilman.

Continuing with his address, Dr. Edwards quoted from the scriptures of the recent councilmanic investigation. He said: "The common council had a chance this week to end this fight abruptly, the chance to silence all further public criticism and to make impossible any political revolution in the autumn. An investigation of malconduct on the part of city officials was ordered, legal counsel secured and witnesses summoned. Now I make the deliberate statement that if investigation had been undertaken from genuine motives to know the facts and if the attorney had tried as laboriously to ferret out real conditions as they have been existing as he tried to embarrass, fluster, ridicule and impugn the witnesses that he examined, and if the public could feel that when the decision of this councilmanic committee is given out it would mean the end of the fight to the mayor and chief of police, further criticism would be offensive and further agitation would be gratuitous. The council had the chance of reform to spike the guns of the reform movement and failed."

The speaker took exceptions to the press report that the mayor closed the conditions after he was told of the conditions on July 6. Dr. Edwards said that the mayor had closed the conditions as early as last fall and that the saloons were not closed then.

Mr. Edwards then said that the closing was the result of a stirred up public conscience and of aroused public indignation.

Closing his address, Dr. Edwards said: "Furthermore, the soft words and flattering phrases of reports and verdicts will deceive no one. The mayor's official record during these three years and more is public property, it must stand upon its own foundation, it has been characterized by gracious words and spineless deeds, it has allowed petty and shameful lawlessness by saloons, it has defied the decency of the city's citizenship and it cannot be changed from black to white by the vote of sympathetic councilmen. But the end is not yet—a little fire may kindle and destroy a mighty forest."

Church was Packed.

The Methodist church was crowded to the doors to hear the sermon as had been announced before that the pastor would speak on the city's condition and the recent investigation.

Rev. John F. Edwards, a brother of the pastor of the local church, occupied the pulpit here Sunday evening. Dr. Edwards recovered from a recent operation on his throat and was unable to withstand the strain two sermons would have made on him.

BOYS' SUNDAY SCHOOL.

It was "Boys' Sunday School" at the First Presbyterian church Sunday. Girls were welcomed, of course, but the services were in charge of and of especial interest to the boys.

TO ENTERTAIN THURSDAY.

Miss Carol Eberhart, 318 E. Second st., will entertain Thursday afternoon at her home, commencing her guests with Miss Eleanor Orr of Attica, Ind., and in honor of Miss Madeline Woodward, who is to be married Saturday evening to Harold P. Gould of Riverside, Ill.

TRY Y. M. C. A. MAN.

Kalamazoo, Mich.—W. E. Cottrell, former secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., who was believed to have started a fire at the Epworth hospital, Sunday building, the last of which burned the structure to the ground, is to be tried for the arson of a Y. M. C. A. building in Port Huron, Mich., where he was secretary. Cottrell has a mania for starting fires and was once adjudged insane.

OWNS UP TO ARSON.

Allegan, Mich.—Dewitt Henning, a grocer, pleaded guilty to burning his store shortly after taking out a large amount of insurance and removing a large part of the stock. His store at Monterey was burned under similar circumstances a year ago.

WIND AND LIGHTNING SUNDAY DOES DAMAGE

Lightning, hail and wind together with a driving rain did considerable damage about the city Sunday afternoon. The storm was one of the most severe of the year, being surpassed for violence only by the terrific storm on a Monday night several weeks ago.

Beautiful shade trees in all parts of the city were blown down, some of them having stood in their respective places for over two score years. Two fine maple trees in Battell park suffered, one being blown down, the other losing a large limb.

Along W. Second st. residents lost a great number of big trees. One or two telephone and electric light poles were blown down and wires were down in all parts of the city.

Over 100 telephones of the Home Telephone Co. and 18 on the Bell exchange were put out of operation by the storm. Electric lights were out in nearly every section of the city. W. Joseph st. being about the heaviest sufferer along this line.

The large awning in front of the Beiger Furniture Co. on N. Main st. was blown down and the plate glass window in the front of the store broke, resulting in considerable damage.

The rain itself was a veritable cloudburst for a few moments. The streets were filled with water and the river is reported to have risen noticeably during the forepart of the evening. A large number of people were caught in the storm in various places. Some were up the river and could not find the shelter while others at the ball grounds and at other places were drenched by the torrents of rain.

LOYAL CHAPTER OF MOOSE.

Regular meeting Tuesday evening. —Advertisement—

FIRST CAMPAIGN MASS MEETING HELD SUNDAY

A meeting of local socialists and citizens was well attended Sunday evening at Kuss hall. The gathering was a general mass meeting and ways and means for the socialist campaign in the city this fall was discussed. Nothing in regard to the nominations or convention to be held within a few weeks was given out to the press. This was the first of a series of meetings of the opening of the municipal campaign and the meeting to discuss campaign issues here this fall.

CHAS. SCHOCK WANTS TO SEE ALL HIS OLD FRIENDS AT HUNTERS' BARBERSHIP.

—Advertisement—

VISITS MOTHER.

Mr. and Mrs. John Welch are in the city, the guests of their mother, Mrs. Ann Welch, 903 W. Third st. Mrs. Welch will remain for an indefinite stay.

LEAVES ON BUSINESS TRIP.

E. T. Deyo left this morning for Chicago on an extended business trip.

LOSES FINGER.

Jacob Avery, employed at the Mishawaka Rug Co., located at 302 E. Sixth st., lost the small finger of his left hand Saturday in one of the machines. Dr. C. A. Dresch attended him.

RETURNS TO LANSING.

Joseph Tallier, who has been visiting his parents and relatives for some time, has returned to his home in Lansing, Mich.

WANTED—An experienced meat cutter.

117 W. Joseph st. Both phones 94.

SPEND SUNDAY AT MACATAWA.

A. H. Ahara and wife motored to Macatawa park to spend Sunday. The local team will go to Nutwood where they will engage in a return game.

ACCEPTS POSITION.

Mrs. Florence Lee has taken a position at the Epworth hospital, South Bend. Mrs. Lee will take up her duties Tuesday.

FILMS DEVELOPED.

Any size 8 or 12 exposure for 10c at the Red Cross.

Big Sale of Oxfords.

Men's, women's and children's in progress at the Savings store, 517 N. Main st. Adv.

A COWBOY PREACHER.

A story of the rough life of a Sky Pilot in the West is told by Ralph Connor under the title, The Sky Pilot. Now fifty cents a volume at the Red Cross.

HEARD OVER THE PHONE.

"Have you read Freckles?" "No, thank goodness, mine are light brown."

This and hundreds of other good books for 50c per copy at the Red Cross.

Those Oxfords in the Window

of the Savings store, north side, are tagged quite a little lower price than usual. For men, women and children. Adv.

NOTICE.

We, the undersigned, will not be responsible for any debts contracted by our daughter, Emma, as she has left our home. Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Corryn.

TO AUTOMOBILE OWNERS.

See C. H. Mott's Tire Vulcanizer, to prevent blow-outs. 543 W. Second st. Bell Phone 624. Adv.

VISIT AT PLEASANT VALLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. John Joshi and sons, Charles and William. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Andrews and daughter, Genevieve. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Long. Miss Josephine Sanger, Delbert Ayres and Miss Florence Marsh of this city were guests of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marsh, at Pleasant Valley Sunday.

Oxfords for Sale.

If you haven't left yet. For all ages at reduced prices at Savings store, 517 North Main. Adv.

FIVE DEFENDANTS IN CITY COURT MONDAY

Four drunks who were arrested Sunday were arraigned before Mayor John A. Herzog in the city court held in the police station at the city hall Monday morning.

THREE OF THE MEN WERE ARRESTED BY CHIEF FRICK AND PATROLMAN KIRKWOOD ON THE LAKE SHORE RIGHT-OF-WAY ABOUT NOON SUNDAY.

They were John Davis, John Burke and John Kelly. Each one of the Johns was charged with public intoxication and was found guilty. They were fined \$5.00 and costs, which amounted to \$10.00, which they were unable to pay and will have to lay out the fine in the county jail for 15 days.

Mike Zukas was also arrested Sunday and brought before the mayor charged with public intoxication.

He was given a fine of \$10.00 and costs, which amounted to \$20.00 and 10 days in jail. He was unable to pay the fine and will be compelled to lay out 30 days at the jail. It is claimed that he went about the city collecting money for the Associated Magazines Co. of Minneapolis, and did not turn the money over to his employers.

HERE TO ATTEND FUNERAL.

Frank Andrews of Detroit, Mich., is in the city to attend the funeral of his sister, the late Mrs. Burl Stuller.

FUNERAL HELD MONDAY.

The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard W. Seventh st. was held Monday morning from St. Bavo's church. Rev. Schoeart conducted the services. Burial in the Catholic cemetery.

SCORELESS TIE WHEN RAIN HALTS CONTEST

Mishawaka and the Plymouth Clippers, player 4-1-2, battled to a scoreless tie on the north side diamonds Sunday afternoon. The game was fast and clean and had not rain prevented the contest from being finished the interesting game would have resulted. The large crowds who turned out to see the two aggregations perform were treated to a drenching as they were unable to leave the grounds before the rain came.

Fisher was on the mound for the locals and was pitching air-tight ball.

He struck out seven men in the first innings which the game went. The local players were in first class shape and are confident that the game would have been theirs were it finished.

MISHAWAKA PERSONALS.

A. J. Bennett and family have gone to Fish lake, near Marcellus, Mich., where they will enjoy a week's outing.

Owen Matchett has recovered from a brief illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grosbeck, 311 W. Sixth st., are visiting in Chicago.

Dr. F. H. Erwin of this city spent Sunday visiting with friends at Plymouth.

Miss Mary Heiser of Chicago is in the city for a several weeks' visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Charles Heiser and son, James, 207 E. Third st., have returned from a visit with the former's sister in Bristol, Ind.

Samuel Culp, sr., has returned to Elkhart after a visit with his son, Samuel Culp, jr., 110 E. Joseph st.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Gillis, Towle, av., have returned from an outing at Klinger lake.

Miss Lizzy Conley has returned from a week's visit in Chicago.

Raymond and the Misses Marjorie and Beatrice Munsee, 325 Indiana av., have gone to Marion, Ind., where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Billey and daughter, LaVera, of Wyatt, spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Petters, 205 E. Eighth st.

Dr. A. Albright has returned from a visit in Niles, Mich.

E. T. Criegler of the Dodge Mfg. Co. is in Cleveland on business.

Mrs. George Giesner and Mrs. Alex Schneider have returned from a several days' visit at Milwaukee, Wis., with friends and relatives.

Mrs. John Bremmer and daughter, Ella, of Michigan City, were in the city Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Spaeth, of W. Fourth st.

Harry Doll, of this city, is visiting at Kimmle, Ind., for several days with friends.

Miss Mattie Brown, of W. Sixth st., spent Sunday visiting with friends at Dowagiac, Mich.

Miss Anna Ganser, assistant city treasurer, has left for Port Wayne where she will spend her vacation, visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kleinrichert, 263 Indiana av., have returned from a visit in Port Wayne, Ind.

Clayton Strickler has gone to Marion, Ind., and will return with Mrs. Strickler and daughter, who have been visiting in that city.

Dr. Joseph Stockinger, Chicago, is here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stockinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Armond Harris have returned to their home in South Bend, after concluding a several days' visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bath, W. Lawrence street.

Dr. Stowell has returned from a trip to Hammond, Ind.

Dr. H. F. Irwin spent Sunday in Plymouth, Ind.

Frank Wurs spent Sunday in Niles, Mich.

Miss Ellen Angstrom and Evelyn Weber have returned to Elkhart after concluding a visit with friends in this city.

E. F. Sherer, Plymouth, Ind., transacted business in this city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Masters have returned to their home in Toledo, O., after concluding a several days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. Louise Palmer has returned to her home in Chicago, Ill., after visiting with her brother, Hon. E. A. Jermain.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mott and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milbreth enjoyed a fishing trip up the river Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. DeCoker and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Yawkey have returned from a trip to Long Lake.

SHORT SESSION FOR BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

Very little business was transacted by the board of public works at its regular meeting held Monday morning at the city hall. All members were present. Pres. J. A. Herzog presiding.

A petition for an electric arc light on E. Tenth st., which was referred from the council to the board, was considered and finally turned over to Supt. Crabb of the electric department for investigation.

Motions asking that cross walks be constructed on Fifth and Sixth sts. across Laurel st., and across Broadway at Locust were both granted and the street commissioner was instructed to construct same.

The clerk was instructed to notify the C. C. B. & N. L. Ry. Co. to plunk their crossing at Broadway.

Hearing on the final assessment roll on the Battell st. sewer improvement was presented, no remonstrances being present same was adopted.

Engineer reported the completion of the S. Main st. sewer assessment roll was accepted.

LOSES LITTLE FINGER IN WEAVING MACHINE

A. Caverly of W. Broadway Saturday evening sustained the loss of his little finger on his left hand in rug weaving machine at his plant. He was taken to St. Joseph hospital where he was given surgical attention.

Mrs. William Fries of 225 S. Main st., was removed to St. Joseph hospital in a serious condition early Monday morning.

R. Deagon of E. Lawrence st., was taken to the hospital Sunday for treatment. He is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

Anna Coppens was removed from the hospital to her home on W. Fourth st. Monday. She has recovered from an attack of typhoid fever.

RETURNS FROM PORT WAYNE.

Robert Zimmerman has returned to this city from Port Wayne, Ind., where he took part in the tennis tournament. Mr. Zimmerman was defeated by C. P. Tisak of Indianapolis, the present state champion, but although being defeated he secured a handsome losing cup for runner up.

LUNCH ROOM CLOSED.

The Boston Dairy Lunch Room, W. Second st., has been closed by the proprietors.

C. O. F. MEETING.

A regular meeting of the St. John's Court No. 952, C. O. F., will be held tonight when definite arrangements for the picnic to be held in Laporte in the near future.

RESIGNS POSITION.

Mrs. Flossie Pletcher has resigned her position with the Ross Lunch Room and will soon leave for Rochester, N. Y.

MISS JUDKINS TO ENTERTAIN.

Miss Alice Judkins, 337 Edgewood Drive, will entertain at a thimble at her home Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Eleanor Orr, of Attica, Ind., a guest of Miss Carol Eberhart and Miss Madeline Woodward, who will be married to Harold P. Gould, of Riverside, Ill., on Aug. 2.

GATHERING STORM DERRIS.

Street Commissioner Munich has a team about the city gathering limbs and branches of trees which were blown down by the severe storm of Sunday afternoon.

STULLER OBESEQUIES.

Funeral services over the late Mrs. Burl Stuller, were held Monday afternoon from the residence, 104 E. Fourth st., Rev. Loren M. Edwards officiating. Burial was in the city cemetery.

MOTOR TO GOSHEN.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford McDonough motored to Goshen Sunday.

LEAVES ON VISIT.

Mrs. Esther F. Oglesbee, of Los Angeles, Cal., has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. George L. Harris, S. Cleveland st., left Sunday for Goshen, where she will visit with relatives enroute to Huntington, Ind., where she will visit with relatives and friends.

GAME STOPPED BY RAIN.

Sunday afternoon the Mishawaka Sunnyside team met the Nutwood squad on the Kamm diamond, but were unable to finish the game on account of rain. In the third inning the game was stopped, the score at that time being 2 to 2. Sunday the local team will go to Nutwood where they will engage in a return game.

WILD WORK IN ELKHART.

Joseph Wohlneither, E. Third st., has gone to Elkhart, where he has taken a position.

ENTERTAIN AT DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Diroll, of 1533 E. Second st., entertained at a family dinner Sunday, the guests being Mr. and Mrs. Charles Souders and family, of Ft. Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ries, of this city. The party was entertained in the evening by Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sawyer, of Clover st., South Bend.

NORTH SIDERE DEFEATED.